

# **Fire Chiefs Report**

**August, 2023**

## Manpower:

1. (5) new applications were received during the month for employment.
2. Manpower: Currently at 100%.

## Facilities/ Equipment:

3. R-567 repairs underway.

## Training:

4. District daily training for the month of September 2023 is: **EMS Drill:** Adult Heat Emergency training. **FIRE Drill:** Continuing Hydrant Evolutions. Captain Lopez, Shift Lead Bill Brown, Shift Lead Chandra Montgomery and myself will be conducting the trainings.
5. Key Performance Indicators (KPI's) continue to be tracked for Quality, Productivity and Safety.
6. Organizational Development/ Project Management changes continues to move forward (Preparation, Presentation, Application and Evaluation).
7. On 8/9/23, we attended the Chamber of Commerce Meeting.
8. On 8/9/23, I attended the CAVIT Steering Committee.
9. On 8/10/23, we held the BCGMC Training.

## Procedures/ SOP's

10. Imagetrend/ Target Solutions are 80% complete for 2023.
11. Target Solutions software continues to work well for the District. We are tracking all required OSHA/ NFPA/ ISO/ DHS/ NREMT/ VFIS training. Everything will be captured in the system.

## Community Service

12. During the months of August/ September 2023, we have assisted 74 citizens with smoke detectors challenges/ batteries and home safety repairs. The assistance was for residents that are not able to perform the work on their own.
13. On-going: Continuing to work for grant dollars with the several insurance companies to acquire additional Smoke Detectors and batteries for little or no charge. These will be installed free of charge for our financially challenged residents.
14. On-going: Continuing to work on a grant for IFSAC training.

## Schools/ Events/ Groups

15. Fire Drill conducted for the month August.
16. Continue to participate on the daily telephone meeting for the Public Safety Partners Coordination for COVID-19.
17. Participating on FEMA/ DEMA/ State calls for grant opportunities for COVID-19.
18. Grant submissions. They including: AFG, 100 Club, East Regional Advisory Council (RAC), APS, SRP, Wal-Mart, Indian Councils and Wildland.
19. New Federal Grant Application have been submitted for fiscal year 2023/2024

Contracts/ Business Issues

20. \$3000 Grant from Factory Mutual being utilized for Fire Prevention.

21. Workers Compensation carriers to 7710 continues to go well. We continue to see savings in rate reductions for the Fire District. These savings will roll into 2021 for the Fire District.

22. Ascensus 457 Plan and Ascensus 401A Plan continue to work well. Ascensus 401A is the complement to our 457 Plan.